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PATENT APPLICATION  
MP1705-US3

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of ) Group Art Unit: 2832  
HETHERTON ET AL. )  
Application No. 10/088,253 ) Examiner: Karl D. Easthom  
Filed: August 28, 2002 ) TYCO ELECTRONICS CORPORATION  
For: ELECTRICAL DEVICES AND ) 307 Constitution Drive  
PROCESSES FOR MAKING ) Menlo Park, CA 94025  
SUCH DEVICES ) December 22, 2004

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

This paper is a request for an extension of time of three months for filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was mailed July 26, 2004. Please charge the fee for this extension (\$1,020) to Deposit Account No. 18-0560.

No Appeal Brief will be filed as this application is being abandoned in favor of a continuation application which is being filed contemporaneously with this Request.

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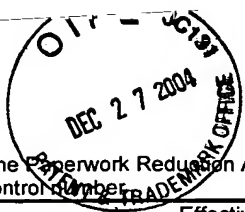
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## FEE TRANSMITTAL

### For FY 2005

**Complete if Known**

Application Number	10/088,253
Filing Date	August 28, 2002
First Named Inventor	Hetherton et al.
Examiner Name	Karl D. Easthom
Art Unit	2832
Attorney Docket No.	MP1705-US3

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$)  
1020.00**METHOD OF PAYMENT** (check all that apply)

- ☐ Check ☐ Credit Card ☐ Money Order ☐ None ☐ Other (please identify): \_\_\_\_\_
- ☒ Deposit Account      Deposit Account Number: 18-0560      Deposit Account Name: Tyco Electronics Corporation
- For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)
- ☒ Charge fee(s) indicated below      ☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee
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**FEE CALCULATION****1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	_____
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	_____
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	_____
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	_____
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	_____

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

**Total Claims**      **Extra Claims**      **Fee (\$)**      **Fee Paid (\$)**

\_\_\_\_\_ - 20 or HP = \_\_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

**Indep. Claims**      **Extra Claims**      **Fee (\$)**      **Fee Paid (\$)**

\_\_\_\_\_ - 3 or HP = \_\_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_

HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3

**3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE**

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

**Total Sheets**      **Extra Sheets**      **Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof**      **Fee (\$)**      **Fee Paid (\$)**

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**4. Other Fee(s)**

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other: Three-month Extension fee

1020.00

**SUBMITTED BY**

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